

## BUTLER COUNTY, AL

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	440	455	520
Acreage	97,298	96,427	99,997
Average size (acres)	221	212	192
Median size (acres)	105	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	204,125	152,832	125,187
Machinery/equip (dollars)	32,205	21,441	23,905
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	35,942	39,345	44,522
Harvested	17,024	16,992	17,796
Irrigated	92	D	150
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	30,773	22,549	18,392
(dollars avg. per farm)	69,940	49,558	35,369
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	13,238	5,856	3,816
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	17,157	18,288	18,300
Beef cows	10,086	9,989	8,825
Milk cows	15	324	162
Hogs and pigs	2,212	3,516	7,397
Sheep and lambs	D	D	180
Layers 13 wks or older	D	D	D
Broilers and chicken (sold)	9,718,272	9,783,558	7,686,752
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Com, grain or seed	2,642	2,740	2,682
Com, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	434	D	1,406
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	D	1,299	585
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	1,034	1,083	2,615
Dry edible beans, excl lima	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	1,351	2,143	1,529
Hay-alfalfa	9,806	9,422	8,649
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture